[Mr. N. Ramakrishna Pillai.]

(*b*) the number of times the District Superintendents of Police and the Assistant Superintendents of Police have attended court to watch the prosecution of grave offences?

MR. R. KRISHNA PILLAI (*Chief Secretary to Government*): (*a*) The number of grave offences personally investigated by the District Superintendents and the Assistant Superintendents of Police is given below.

There were no Assistant Superintendents in 1097.

		1097	*1098*
District Superintendent, Trivandrum	...	67	26
Asst. Superintendent, Headquarters,	Trivandrum	...	76
Do.	Nagercoil	...	34
District Superintendent, Quilon	...	19	28
Asst. Superintendent, Headquarters,	Quilon	...	20
Do.	Chengannur	...	45
District Superintendent, Kottayam	...	10	12
Asst. Superintendent, Headquarters,	Kottayam	...	12
Do.	Perumbavur	...	5
District Superintendent, Nagercoil	...	4	...
Do.	Peermade	6	...

(*b*) The information has been called for.

Pleadership Class.

18. MR. A. HOOGEWERF (*Nominated*): Will the Government be pleased to state whether it is a fact that the professors of the Law College were of opinion that the Pleadership classes should be abolished or, at least, the standard of examination for entrance into this class should be raised to the Intermediate examination?

MR. R. KRISHNA PILLAI (*Chief Secretary to Government*): Government have no information. But the Principal of the Law College was of the opinion that either the Intermediate examination should be made the qualification for admission to the Pleadership class or that three more professors should be appointed to enable separate classes to be held for the benefit of the Pleadership students.

MR. A. HOOGEWERF (*Nominated*): Is there any necessity at all for the Pleadership classes, considering the large number of graduates turned out of the College?

PRESIDENT: You cannot put argumentative questions. You can only put questions to elicit information.

MR. A. HOOGEWERF (*Nominated*): Is there any necessity for Pleadership classes in the Law College?

MR. R. KRISHNA PILLAI (*Chief Secretary to Government*): Yes.

Vaikam-Vechur Road.

19. MR. N. RAMAKRISHNA PILLAI (*Vaikam cum Ettumanur*): Will the Government be pleased to say

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